



- Welding unit standard 2670 has been replaced by unit standard 21907.
- Engineering Core Skills unit standard 2824 has been replaced by unit standards 21911 and 21912.
- Engineering Measurement unit standards 4432 and 4434 from the compulsory section and Mathematics unit standards 5223, 5226, 5228, and 5251 in Elective A have been replaced by unit standard 21905 which is now compulsory.
- Engineering Materials unit standards 4795 and 4796 have been replaced by unit standards 20917 and 20799 respectively in the compulsory section.
- Engineering Materials unit standard 4798 has been removed from the elective section of the qualification, as this unit standard is now obsolete.
- Engineering machining and tool making unit standard 11661 from the compulsory section and 11662, 11663, and 11664 in Elective A have been replaced by unit standard 21906 which is in the elective section.
- Occupational Health and Safety unit standard 17602 and Core Health unit standards 6400, 6401, and 6402 have been added to the compulsory section.
- Metal casting unit standards 19449, 19741, and 19742 have been added to elective unit standards.
- Elective B has been removed from the qualification.
- Minimum credit total for elective section has decreased from 255 to 200.
- Credit total for this qualification has decreased from 307 to 241 credits.

## Transition

People currently working towards version 3 of this qualification may either complete the requirements for that version or transfer their results to this version of the qualification. The last date for award of version 3 is 31 December 2011. For those who wish to transfer to version 4, the following exemptions apply:

| Credit for                       | Exempt from |
|----------------------------------|-------------|
| 4432 and 4434                    | 21905       |
| 5223 and 5226 and 5251           | 21905       |
| 5226 and 5228 and 5251           | 21905       |
| 11661 or 11662 or 11663 or 11664 | 21906       |

This qualification contains standards that replace earlier standards. For the purposes of this qualification people who have gained credit for the expiring standards are exempt from the requirement to gain credit for the replacement standards.

| Credit for | Exempt from     |
|------------|-----------------|
| 2372       | 21471           |
| 2670       | 21907           |
| 2824       | 21911 and 21912 |
| 4795       | 20917           |
| 4796       | 20799           |

It is not intended that anyone be disadvantaged by this review, and the above arrangements have been designed for a smooth transition. However, anyone who feels they have been disadvantaged may appeal to Competenz at the address below.

These transition arrangements will be published in Competenz newsletters to trainees/apprentices and employers and on the Competenz website.

Any person or organisation may contribute to the review of this qualification by sending feedback to the standard setting body at the address below.

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